Press Release

Skala Named Pro Bono Attorney of Year

The Westmoreland Bar Foundation recently presented Andrew F. Skala, a partner with Skala | Miller in Greensburg, with the 2019 David J. Millstein award for Pro Bono Service, which was renamed at this meeting to honor the volunteer director of the program, David J. Millstein. This award is given to the attorney who has provided note-worthy volunteer legal representation of indigent Westmoreland County residents.

Attorney Skala has been a Pro Bono Custody Attorney for several years. During that time, he has helped dozens of needy families resolve their custody issues. He represented 36 cases since 2013 in his capacity as PAI attorney, custody attorney and Pro Bono volunteer. Judge Harry F. Smail Jr. made the award presentation at the April 1, 2019 Annual Meeting of the Westmoreland Bar Foundation detailing Attorney Skala’s dedication to the profession and his zealous representation of his clients.

The Pro Bono Program of Westmoreland County provides free legal representation to those who qualify according to income guidelines and case merit. This past year the members of the Westmoreland Bar Association volunteered their time to represent over 600 individuals in civil matters.

For more information about Pro Bono, call 724.837.5539. If you are looking to hire an attorney, call the Lawyer Referral Service of Westmoreland Bar Association at 724.834.8490.

Pictured is The Honorable Harry J. Smail Jr (left), David J. Millstein (center) and award winner, Andrew F. Skala.

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